

AGENTS WILL COME

Officials of Harriman Lines to Meet in Portland.

LARGE NUMBER TO BE HERE

Passenger Agent Craig Succeeds in Getting Annual Transcontinental Meeting for This City—Date of Gathering Is June 5.

Passenger agents of all the Harriman lines will gather in Portland June 5. It has been unanimously agreed by the passenger agents of the many railroad sys-

merchants of Honolulu asking for space in which to erect a building. This building, the merchants explain, is to contain a display of the native resources and manufactures of Hawaii, showing the condition of industry under native management and under white management. One interior wall will be devoted entirely to kaleidoscopic views of the islands of the Hawaiian group. Space on which to build was readily granted the Honolulu merchants, and their building will probably be one of the prettiest and most unique on the grounds.

Exposition Bride and Groom. A man who advertises after original methods and devises unknown schemes has written the publicity department of the fair submitting a plan by which he and his wife are to dress and act like bride and groom and tour the country in the interest of the fair. This original person, W. H. Porter, of Fort Dodge, Ia., says he has no children, and that he and his wife can do the "bull and cow" act in good style. He proposes to give local papers interviews wherever he goes and get pictures published and make himself well known far and wide as the "Portland Exposition bride and groom." He says he is not a professional at the business, but that he needs diversion, and sees a way to take a trip and draw sal-

PEACE IN THE AIR

No Fireworks Explode at the School Board Meeting.

SALARIES ARE DISCUSSED

Question of Raising Teachers' Pay by Means of Merit System Receives Attention From J. N. Teal and Others—Views Taken.

The white-winged dove of peace gently hovered over the meeting of the School Board last night, and the blaze of fireworks over the failure of the Board to

KANG YU WEI HERE

Noted Chinese Reformer Is Visiting Portland.

MET AT TRAIN WITH POMP

Man Upon Whose Head a Price of \$100,000 Has Been Set by the Chinese Government Says He Is Aiding His Country.

His Excellency, Kang Yu Wei, formerly secretary to his Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of China, and now a refugee from the wrath of the Empress Dowager,

SCENE IN SPECTACULAR PRODUCTION

"A Carnival in Venice," to be given by BOLOSSY KIRALFY AT LEWIS AND CLARK EXPOSITION

MUST BUILD TO PORTLAND.

Harriman Officials Will Not Encourage Tillamook Line.

Refused to Sign Petition.

BUFFALO LITHIA WATER

No Remedy of Ordinary Merit Could Ever Have Received Indorsations from Men Like These.

Bright's Disease and Albuminuria of Pregnancy. Alfred L. Loomis, M. D., former prof. of Pathology and the Practice of Medicine in Medical Dept. of the University of New York. Samuel O. L. Potter, A. M., M. D., M. R. C. P., London, Prof. of the Principles and Practice of Medicine and Clinical Medicine in the College of Physicians and Surgeons, San Francisco. Dr. William H. Drummond, Professor Medical Jurisprudence, Bishop's University, Montreal, Canada. Cyrus Edson, A. M., M. D., Health Commissioner New York City and State, President Board of Pharmacy, New York City, Examining Physician Corporation Council, Etc. John V. Shoemaker, M. D., LL. D., Professor Materia Medica and Therapeutics, Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia.

In Stone in the Bladder, Renal Calculi and Inflammation of the Bladder. Dr. A. Gabriel Fouchet, Professor of Pharmacology and Materia Medica of the Faculty of Medicine, Paris. Dr. J. T. LeBlanchard, Professor Montreal Clinic, S.M., S.V., U.S. Jas. K. Crook, A. M., M. D., Professor Clinical Medicine and Clinical Diagnosis, New York Post-Graduate Medical School. Louis C. Horn, M. D., Ph.D., Professor Diseases of Children and Dermatology, Baltimore University. Dr. J. Allison Hodges, President and Professor Nervous and Mental Diseases, University College of Medicine, Richmond, Va.

In Gout, Rheumatism and Uric Acid Conditions. Prof. Giuseppe Lapponi, Physician to the late Pope Leo XIII and now Physician to Pope Pius X, Member of the Academy of Medicine of Rome, etc. Dr. Robert Bartholow, M.A., LL.D., Prof. Materia Medica and General Therapeutics, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. Dr. I. N. Lovo, New York City, Former Professor Diseases of Children, College of Physicians and Surgeons, and in Marion Sims College of Medicine, St. Louis. Hunter McGuire, M.D., LL.D., Ex-President American Association, Late President and Professor Clinical Surgery, University College of Medicine, Richmond, Va. Dr. Alexander B. Mott, of New York, Professor of Surgery, Bellevue Hospital Medical College, Surgeon Bellevue Hospital.

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In selecting the name, "A Carnival in Venice" for his brilliant production, which will be seen at the Lewis and Clark Exposition, Bohossy Kiralfy, who is acknowledged to be the greatest master of the spectacular world known, has aimed to bring forth not the horrors of the picturesque and ancient city, but the pleasure and gay events which have marked its history since the earliest days. The carnival, directed by Kiralfy, is a masterpiece of scenic art, creating much rejoicing among the people. Kiralfy came to America in 1869 as the acknowledged master of the highest art in spectacular productions, with experience he had gained in London, Paris, Berlin and Italian cities. He was the first to produce "The Black Crook" at the famous Niblo's Garden, in New York City, which ran for over two years. Later he brought to this country Judo, Verne's great play "Around the World in Eighty Days," "Excelsior," "The Trip to the Moon," "The Deluge" and "Enchantment" are other great productions that Kiralfy has

presented in this country. In foreign countries the royal families have visited Kiralfy's plays, and many are the letters he has to show of their sanction. The stage upon which "The Carnival in Venice" will be produced here will be 400 feet long and proportionately deep. In presenting the play there will be 300 people upon the scene, and the grand ballets will be one of the most interesting sights of the Exposition. Historical scenes from the City of Venice will be one of the features, and, to bear out the impression of Venetian customs, gondolas will ply to and from the rail to the scene of the carnival. A great deal of the credit for the production of "A Carnival in Venice" at the Exposition is due to the efforts of Calvia Heitz, treasurer of the Northwestern Theatrical Association. Mr. Heitz has taken an active part in securing the attraction, and when it is opened it will be under his personal supervision.

arrived in Portland last night from Vancouver. B. C. Kang Yu Wei was met at the depot by about 100 of the local members of the Chinese Empire Reform Association. He later took passage to the Exposition, and escorted to the Hotel Portland, where he will stop during his visit here. Nearly seven years ago Kang Yu Wei was successful in interesting the present Emperor of China, Kwang Su, in the reform movements of that day, and had partially opened the way for civilized people to enter with their lessons of Christianity, when the Dowager Empress set her foot upon the Dowager Empress and ordered the arrest of Kang Yu Wei for encouraging the Emperor. Kang fled from the Imperial city to the coast and finally sought refuge upon a British man-of-war, and the Empress offered \$100,000 for his capture. He later took passage to England. In London he again took up the work of reform among the Chinese residents, and has continued it throughout Europe and British North America. This is his first visit to the United States, and in explanation he says through his interpreter, Chew Kok Hean, that his work is not to stir up strife and revolution within the Celestial Empire nor to create dissatisfaction among the Chinese in all lines of business, and contrasts the change in China, should the civilized people of the earth be at last admitted there. After a visit of a few days in Portland the man of reform will take up his abode about 25 miles up the Willamette River with friends. He is now suffering with a severe attack of bronchitis, and it is to secure relief that he has visited Portland.

NEW CONCESSIONS GRANTED.

Exhibits in State Buildings Will Be Examined for Prizes.

A concession has been granted exhibitors in state buildings at the Fair which has never been granted at previous expositions, by which state exhibits in state buildings will be examined for prizes as well as those in the regular display buildings.

This was granted to three states yesterday—Washington, California and Connecticut. It is an innovation in exposition rules, but has been granted here for special reasons. Probably one of the most potent of these is the demand there has been for space. In most exhibitions the opposite rule was made to force states to make regular displays and not to house everything in one building, but here the Fair management is glad enough to have the state buildings filled with exhibits, for otherwise there would not be room.

The news of this ruling will be welcome to the states which are going to erect buildings. So far it has been sent to only California and Washington, which have already appropriated money with which to erect buildings, and to Connecticut, which has a bill for that purpose before its Legislature.

Connecticut, being strictly a manufacturing state, wishes to be allowed to place exhibits of its industries in its state building, and this will also be allowed. For, unless the manufacturers have already contracted for space in one of the regular display buildings, they will not be able to secure space anywhere else.

DISPLAY COMING FROM HAWAII

Merchants of Honolulu Will Erect Building and Make Exhibit.

Although the government of Hawaii does not feel rich enough to make a territorial display for resources at the Lewis and Clark Fair, the merchants of Honolulu are preparing to do some exploiting of their city and island here at the Exposition.

Yesterday a letter came to Secretary H. E. Reed, of the Exposition, from Governor George R. Carter, of Hawaii, expressing Hawaii's inability to participate. By the same mail a letter came to Director of Exhibits H. E. Doseh from the

Advance Teachers' Salaries.

Teachers' salaries to be advanced by the Board of Education. Joseph N. Teal was chief orator as the representative of the Taxpayers' League, and he protested against the use of the \$30,000 voted at the annual meeting of the taxpayers held last December being used for any other purpose than advancing the salaries of graded teachers.

The specter of the advance in salary of \$100 of Superintendent Higler was present, but refused to walk. The fact was just barely touched on during Mr. Teal's speech, but there was no discussion on this point. The minutes of the star chamber session at which the \$100 advance was granted were not read by Clerk Allen, and the latter stated he had not signed the minutes, as he had not time just now to do so in the rush of other business. The directors who were present included: Mrs. L. W. Sitton, chairman; Richard Williams, R. K. Warren and J. V. Beach.

Refused to Sign Petition. Mr. Teal began by relating what took place at the annual meeting of the taxpayers of the school district, held December 27, and stated that he had refused to sign the petition for the increase of teachers' salaries, because he did not wish to embarrass the School Board. He stated that at this meeting the understanding was that the levy of 6 mill was only to be used in advancing the salaries of graded teachers.

Mr. Wittenberg suggested that the salaries of two or three school principals be advanced. Well, this was not one of the subjects mentioned by the taxpayers. "Without reflection to anyone here, I understand that Superintendent Higler is to get from the general fund an advance in salary. Well, this was not one of the subjects mentioned by the taxpayers. As to the advance in teachers' salaries, by grades, you can take 100 policemen and you will find they are all paid at the same rate, and the result is the same with Majors in the Army. But if you put up a graded list of salaries and pay some teachers \$25 per month and some \$35, the first thing you know, you disrupt the school system. In the merit system you will create a ring and will put into the hands of this ring a club to hold over teachers. This the City of Portland will not stand for. Who can tell who are good teachers, and who are not? Mr. Warren can do so, I am sure, but I couldn't. There is trouble ahead for the board."

"I was opposed to this advance of salary," remarked Mr. Williams. "Yes, but you were not at the meeting," reminded Mr. Teal.

Teachers Were to Get the \$30,000. "I thought the \$30,000 went to the teachers, two or three of the principals and the High School teachers," explained Mr. Williams. "But I was opposed to the advance, then, for two reasons: That the teachers had already contracted to teach this year for a fixed amount, and that it was unwise to advance the salaries of teachers in a body. There are some teachers for instance on the list that are not worth any more salary than they are now getting."

"At the taxpayers' meeting the distribution of the 6 mill levy was left to the board," said Mr. Warren.

Mr. Teal insisted that a feeling is abroad that some injustice is being done in the establishment of the merit system.

George Martin, of the Woodstock School Board, asked that all children of school age in Woodstock flats be sent to Woodstock school, and that

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